

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/826,562 : Examiner: DAVIS, Jenna L.
Filed: April 16, 2004 : TC/A U: 1771
Applicant: HOBART, Aaron : Confirmation No.: 2109
Docket No.: 55616.107557 : Customer No.: 27526
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
MANUFACTURING POLYMER
MAT WITH REDUCED CAPACITY
SPINNING PUMPS

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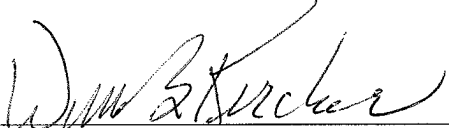
Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

STATUS REQUEST

The above-referenced application was assigned to the Examiner on August 11, 2006, but to date no further activity in the file has commenced. Applicant respectfully requests an update as to the current status of the application. Any questions may be directed to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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